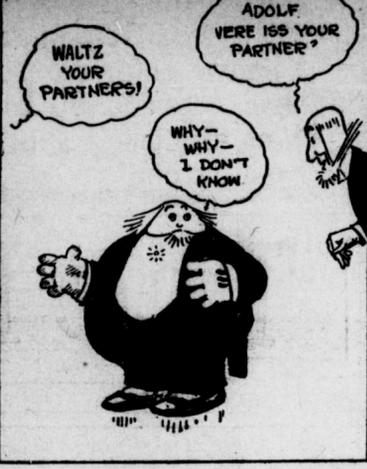




Adolf is Cheated Out of a Partner by a "Dance Pirate."

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Here's something about a real prize fighter. There is little in the life of the average scrapper to commend him to the folks at home, but once in a while an individual who is different comes along and he attracts much attention. Such is Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world who will soon be in the public eye when he gives Abe Attel a chance to regain his lost laurels. Kilbane is really a devoted husband and father and he does not consort with women or wine buyers. In his home city he claims as intimate friends business men, and his home life is pointed to as an example.

You'll want to know something about Johnny. The Times has prepared a series of three articles for its readers that tell about a "CHAMPION FIST FIGHTER WHO IS A REAL MAN." The first story starts tomorrow. Watch for it.

CALL OFF BIG FIGHT AT LAST MINUTE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The fight between Willie Ritchie, world's lightweight champion, and Tommy Murphy, scheduled for last night, was called off at the last minute when it was learned that the champion had been operated on during the day for a nasal abscess. The men went through the weighing-in process to save their forfeits, after which Ritchie expressed his willingness to enter the ring. Jimmy Coffroth, however, announced that the fight had been postponed. No date has been set for the fight.

ONLY 49 LANDED

Looks bad for the Thurston county marksmen. Out of 3,014 licenses issued to hunters only 49 succeeded in dropping a deer during the two months' season just closed.

WON'T PLAY EAST

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The board of athletics of the University of Chicago yesterday decided not to accept the invitation from Harvard university to play in Cambridge in 1914.

YOUNGSTER WINS

Bob McAllister of California made his initial bow in New York last night when he outpointed Young Mike Donovan after 10 rounds of clever fighting.

CALLED A DRAW

After 10 rounds of fighting the bout between Matty McCue and Tommy Bresnahan was declared a draw last night in Racine, Wis.

WALSH IS SOLD

Jimmy Walsh, outfielder of the Philadelphia Athletics, was bought by the New York Americans today for \$4,000.

A HARD FIGHT

Joe Mandot and Pat Drouillard fought eight vicious rounds in Windsor, Ont., last night, Joe getting a shade the better of the fight.

TRAIN IN SOUTH

According to announcement from Chicago the White Sox will train in Paso Robles, California, next spring.

JUST TWO ROUNDS

It took Mike Gibbons just two rounds to stop Wild Cat Ferns in New Orleans last night in a fight that was scheduled for 10 rounds.

RACE IN SOUTH

The Vanderbilt cup race will be held in California in 1914 and will skirt the Pacific coast.

FRANK FARMER READY AND WILLING TO MEET JOE BONDS ON ANY TERMS

"I am willing and anxious to meet Joe Bonds at any time. I am not the least bit afraid of him, and would just as soon take him on as any man in the country. I tried to get him to go on with me at the last Moose smoker, but he would not box at the terms offered."

Such was the gist of a statement made by Frank Farmer yesterday afternoon. The big logger was sore at the charges that he had been carefully selecting his opponents in the Moose smokers and expressed eagerness to hook up with Joe Bonds as soon as possible.

Bonds and Farmer have never fought in Tacoma, and a card with the two as headline attractions would draw probably the biggest crowd of any smoker this season. As both men express willingness to tangle up, it seems that some of the local lodges would do well to secure a bout between them.

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Bonds has been after a match with Farmer for the last six months, but claims he never could get the logger to listen to him. Now Farmer says he has not dodged meeting Joe, and he will

ing to take him on at most any old terms to prove it.

From present indications it seems the big fellow will be able to come to some understanding, and then Tacoma boxing fans will get an opportunity to see which is the better man.

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GIRL TEAMS WILL PLAY AT P. C. A. A. MEETS

Girls, as well as boys, will take part in the series of basketball games planned by the Pierce County Athletic association, and already a game has been scheduled between the sextettes of the Cushman school and Parkland, to be played some time before Christmas.

The Cushman girls have a very strong team, according to all accounts, but the young ladies who toss for baskets at Parkland are said to be a pretty speedy organization themselves.

The U. P. S. and Stadium high are also expected to have girls' teams entered, and some of the other schools and organizations may enter sextettes.

Among the boys, the basketball sives of the Parkland A. C., Y. M. C. A. and Pacific Lutheran academy are going to play right away, three games being scheduled before Christmas.

The association is also planning to hold a big indoor track meet some time in the near future, probably at the Y. M. C. A. There is quite a bit of talk about holding a swimming tournament, too. It is figured in the track meet to get the best men in the various city schools together and then select the winners for teams that will try for the state honors.

The association is composed of the U. P. S., Whitworth college, Cushman Indian school, Parkland A. C., Pacific Lutheran academy, Y. M. C. A. and Stadium high. For some reason the Armory has not yet entered a team in the association, although a member.

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Chirps & Chatter

We learn that Bombardier Wells was knocked out in one minute and 13 seconds. He lasted one minute longer than we expected.

THE SUDDEN SHOCK

Some day we will read that Wells licked somebody and we'll drop dead from it.

Battling Wolf is said to be after Frank Farmer. While we will admit David did things to Goliath, this does not always happen.

CLAIMS TO FAME

There are two things that make Packer McFarland famous. He always outpoints his opponent, and he never makes the weight. Otherwise he is a regular boxfighter, De Puyster.

CHUCKLES

Swartmore's new football captain is named B. Cline. It is a good thing it wasn't D. Cline, or they wouldn't have any captain.

They say the captain of Northwestern university, Hightower, has lofty ideals. (Break off a piece of that paving stone, Harold.)

The Centralia football field was flooded recently. Fifteen "O's" were distributed. (Get in a corner and think it over, Eloise.)

Sammy Strang, former Giant, sank to the minors, and now is nearly all in, down and out. He is singing grand opera.

That exciting, nerve-wracking, death-defying six-day bicycle race is still troubling the public of New York.